

CPH/117618

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION UNDER RULE 53(d)
-FOR DESIGN APPLICATION OR FOR 1st CPA AFTER MAY 29, 2000 IN UTILITY APPLICATION FILED BEFORE MAY 29, 2000-

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.53(d), please file a

continuation/ divisional

of the pending prior PATENT APPLICATION NO.

Inventor: TAKEUCHI et al

Serial No. 09/440,137

Filed: November 15, 1999

For: OIL OR FAT COMPOSITION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This request for filing under Rule 53(d) is made by the following named inventor(s) (using the above-identified title):

Inventor(s): TAKEUCHI et al

Please delete the following inventors in the CPA:

Deleted persons:

A new oath/declaration is attached for any newly named inventor(s).

Priority is hereby claimed under 35 USC 119 based on the following foreign applications:

Application Number
323665/1998;
49300/1999

Country
Japan
Japan

Day/Month/Year Filed
13 November 1998
26 February 1999

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certified copy(ies) of foreign application(s) attached OR
 already filed on January 4, 2000 in prior appln No. 09/440,137 filed November 15, 1999
 already filed in _____ filed _____

Address all future communications to: Nixon & Vanderhye P.C., 1100 North Glebe Road, 8th Floor, Arlington, Virginia 22201.

Applicant claims "small entity" status. "Small entity" statement attached.

Please enter the previously unentered Rule 116 amendment filed on May 23, 2001.

The Examiner's attention is directed to the prior art cited in the parent application by applicant and/or Examiner for the reasons stated therein.

Please enter the attached and/or below preliminary amendment prior to calculation of filing fee:

Also attached: Revised Specification

FILING FEE IS BASED ON CLAIMS AS FILED LESS ANY HEREWITH CANCELED

Basic Filing Fee	\$	710.00
Total effective claims 6 - 20 (at least 20) = 0	\$	0.00
Independent claims 1 - 3 (at least 3) = 0 x \$ 80.00	\$	0.00
If any proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$270.00 (ignore improper)	\$	0.00

Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) \$110.00/1 month; \$390.00/2 months; \$890.00/3 months)

Less 2 month extension previously paid on April 25 and May 23, 2001

If "small entity," then enter half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract

Assignment Recording Fee (\$40.00)

SUBTOTAL	\$	710.00
SECOND SUBTOTAL	\$	710.00
TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED	\$	710.00

Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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